

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

IN RE:) 1:22-mc-00110-SAB
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) **ORDER REGARDING USE OF ELECTRONIC**
10 **MUSTAFA MANSOUR,**) **FILING SYSTEM, DIRECTING APPEARANCE**
) **BY SUPERVISING DEPUTY ATTORNEY**
11) **GENERAL, AND SETTING BRIEFING**
) **SCHEDULE**
12)
) (ECF No. 1)
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On August 3, 2022, the Court received a request from Ray Brown seeking relief from the e-filing procedures. (ECF No. 1.)

In the motion requesting relief from e-filing, Mr. Mansour contends that law library at North Kern State Prison refuses to electronically file his complaint. (ECF No. 1.)

As Mr. Mansour is incarcerated at North Kern State Prison, he is subject to the Standing Order in Re: Procedural Rules for Electronic Submission of Prison Litigation Filed by Plaintiffs incarcerated at Participating Penal Institutions, issued on March 1, 2016. Pursuant to the standing order, which applies to initial filings: (1) new complaints are subject to e-filing and they may not exceed twenty-five pages in length; and (2) motions to proceed in forma pauperis, motions to increase the page limit, and motions for emergency relief shall be no more than fifteen (15) pages in total combined length. As a California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation participating facility, no initial documents are accepted for filing by the Clerk of Court unless done pursuant to the standing order or the scanning equipment is inoperable for a period longer than forty-eight (48) hours.

1 Based on Mr. Mansour's filing, the Court will request the Supervising Deputy Attorney
2 General in charge of the e-filing program, Lawrence Bragg, to address Mr. Mansour's contention.
3 After briefing is submitted, the Court will review any documentation and issue a corresponding order
4 and/or set a telephonic hearing, if necessary.

5 Accordingly, it is HEREBY ORDERED that:

- 6 1. The Clerk of Court is directed to serve a copy of inmate Mustaffa Mansour's motion
7 (ECF No. 1) and a copy of this order on Supervising Deputy Attorney General,
8 Lawrence Bragg, and Senior Assistant Attorney General, Monica Anderson;
- 9 2. Mr. Bragg shall file a response to Mr. Brown's request on or before **August 17, 2022**;
10 and
- 11 3. No case as to the merits of Mr. Mansour's claim will be opened until the issue
12 regarding the use of the e-filing system is resolved or a civil complaint is filed through
13 the Court's e-filing procedures.

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15 IT IS SO ORDERED.

16 Dated: **August 3, 2022**



UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE